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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)

Applicant(s): D.L. Schwarz et al.

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Invention: AN IMPROVED SYSTEM FOR STIRRING SUSPENDED SOLIDS IN A LIQUID MEDIA

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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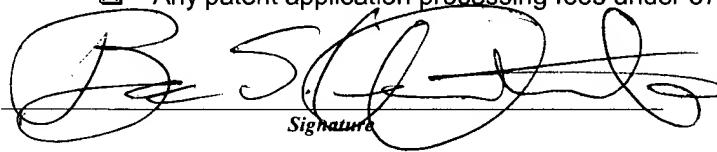
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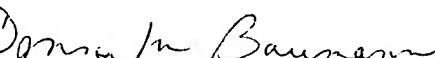
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In re application of  
Leland C. Leber et al  
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For: CABINET CONTROLLER

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Applicants petition the Commissioner to direct the examiner to vacate the restriction requirement and examine all the claims.

Applicants argue that the examiner has placed some claims in the wrong group and that there is common subject matter between the claims of Group I and Group II.

The present case has been reviewed taking into account all of applicants comments set forth in their petition. A comparison of the claims indicates that the subject matter therein is so interwoven that they constitute a single invention with the additional limitations being a mere perfection of the basic concept. It is noted that the Examiner has not properly responded to applicants traversal.

For the reasons set forth in applicants petition and those noted above, applicants petition is hereby granted.

Since the applicants petition has been granted, the Office action of June 29, 1987 is hereby vacated. The case is being forwarded to the examiner and the examiner is directed to submit a supplemental action addressing all the claims.

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